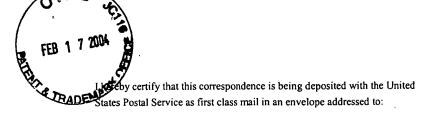
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In response to the Office Communication of January 29, 2004, reconsideration is respectfully requested in view of the following remarks.